

HAMPTON, PHOEBUS AND OLD POINT—Continued.

SCHOOLS OF PHOEBUS
CLOSE FOR THE TERM

With Splendid Commencement Exercises in Soldiers' Home Theatre Last Night.

HON. H. R. HOUSTON THE ORATOR

Hampton Man Delivers the Address and Presented the Diplomas to the Graduates—List of Pupils Promoted Because They Were Studious and Their Deportment Was Good.

The commencement exercises of the Phoebus Graded Schools were held in the National Soldiers' Home Theatre last night. The pretty play house was crowded with the patrons of the school and the exercises were extremely interesting. This has been a most successful session of the school, due to the excellent work of Principal J. Howard Bonnevill and his excellent corps of teachers.

Hon. Harry R. Houston, of Hampton, delivered the address and presented diplomas to the members of the graduating class. Mr. Houston fully sustained his reputation as an orator, his address being a gem in rhetoric and oratorical effort.

The program carried out follows:

The Program.
Overture—Soldiers' Home Band.
Prof. Schull Director.

Song—America, School Children.
Prayer—Rev. J. M. Nelfert, Chaplain Soldiers' Home.

Address of Welcome—Mr. W. F. Clark, Chairman School Board.

Announcement of Promotions—Captain J. N. Smith, Clerk of School Board.

Song—School Children.

Senior Class Exercises—President's Address, William V. Betts; Salutatory, James Powell; Calling Class Roll, Miss Mollie C. Berry; Class Essay, Miss Elizabeth Ashwell; Class Prophecy, Miss Laura E. Bell; Valeictory, Miss Garnett Sargent.

Song—School Children.

Address to Graduating Class and Presentation of Diplomas—Hon. Harry R. Houston.

Star Spangled Banner—School Children.

Benediction—Rev. Geo. W. Stallings.

The Graduates.

The graduates, who received diplomas, which entitled them to enter the West End High Schools next session were Misses Laura Bell, Elizabeth Ashwell, Garnett Sargent, Mollie Berry, and Messrs. James Powell and Willie Betts.

The Promotions.

Certificates of promotion were awarded to the following pupils:

From first to second grade—Gladys Ludwig, William Christian, Catherine Butler, Marion Fiedelke, Catherine Cogno, John Kaiser, Robert Gamon, Zl Carl, Albert Stacey, Harvey Foster, Alphonse Hertel, Dewey Worham, Joseph Charnick, Freddie Hanf, Claude Morris, Emma Craig, Florence Bell, Donald Gear, Myrtle Sulberger, Topping Weber, Esther Clarke, Sam Fuller, Edgar Davenport, Virginia Jones.

On promotion—Joseph Craigs, Emma Biedinger.

From second to third grade—Lila Turner, Frances Bagley, Virginia Farrell, George Gear, Edward Driscoll, Lillian Stevenson, Paul Craigs, Sterling Parker, Samuel Yaurians, Minnie Terry, Raymond Snow, Hazel Jackson, Gussie Shea, Henry Epfinger, Edna Craigs, Albert Englebert, George Hoover, Rosalie Whitfield, Rosalie Edwards, May Corey, Herbert Floyd, May Ludwig, Dora Dare, Margaret Wilson, Harold Poole, Horace Mingeo, Nellie Flynn, Gorrine Stowell, Lizzie Murphy, Lawrence Boylan, Henry Davenport, Helen Darnelle.

Third grade to fourth grade—Mildred Brown, John Driscoll, Katie Engelberg, Edith Rothweiler, Milner Darnelle, Addie Gammon, Margaret Gear, Thomas Bagley, Andrew Russell, Allen Worman, Annie Englebert, Roy Sulberger, Howard Keith, Dorothy Hoagland, Harvey Wilson, Gladys Mitchell, Thos. Dargy, Hugh Wilson, Carrie Fuller, Margaret Wood, Florence Pierro, Edna East, Emil Keller, Alfred Ludwig, Gertrude Willoughby, Charlie Spady and Julia Boyham, Ella Shean, Ianthe Davenport, Horace Pearce, John Pearce.

On promotion—Raymond Wilson.

Fourth to fifth grade—Stanton Ber-tochery, Call Rothweiler, Pearl Harmon, Lillian Carver, Emma Edwards, Thomas Craigs, Ruth Tomlinson, Thomas Bell, John Jones, Edwin Turner, Bryan Lawer, Maurice Collier, Michael DeMarina, Leo Cabell, Henry Erpenbeck, Adelaide Clark, Fannie Dare, Josie Keller, Edna Warren, Geo. Poole, Bessie Dare, Helen Lacy, Philip Ruth, Virginia Peach.

Fifth to sixth grade—Ruth Callost, Myrtle McCall, Edgar Mingeo, John Bell, Mabel Meade, Ruby Lacy, Ernest Clark, Grace Giddings, Pearl Lacy, Lucy Powell, Harry Collier, Clara Kelso, Mamie Fuller, Annie Willoughby, Margaret Bertschey, Louis Hoagland, Fred Ashwell, Warder Farrell, Annie Dorsey, Charlie Gammon, Harry Stacey, Elmer Clark, Cecil Cunningham, Nellie Scully, Albert Engelberg, Annie Engelberg, Bertha Schmetzer, Florence Johnson.

Seventh to eighth grade—Goldie Walton, Ella Kelso, Leila Jones, Mary

Houkins, John King, Annie Clark Allee Clark, James Farrell, Elsie Cabell.

Miss Nellie Sanford and Mrs. M. F. Sanford, of Culpeper, are the guests of Mrs. T. Ryland Sanford, in Newport News avenue.

Mr. Moore Headed the Ticket.

In the election returning last Tuesday the Second ward were inadvertently omitted. In this ward Mr. Frank W. Moore, who lead the ticket in the primary election, received on Tuesday 45 votes, while Mr. Thomas J. Haskins received 10. The entire Second ward vote was omitted in the returns printed in the Daily Press.

THE STRENUOUS LIFE.

One Day's Work of a Sixteenth Century Law Student.

If law students of the present day are laboring under the delusion that when the world was younger there was less law to study and more relaxation for young men of their class, let them read the following extract that an English contemporary has taken from the "Memoirs of Henri de Mesmes," descriptive of a day's work of a law student at Toulouse in the sixteenth century:

"We used to rise from bed at 4 o'clock, and, having prayed to God, we went at 5 o'clock to our studies, our big books under our arms, our ink-horns and candles in our hands. We heard all the lectures without intermission till 10 o'clock rang. Then we dined after having hastily compared during a half hour our notes of the lectures.

"After dinner we read as a recreation Sophocles or Aristophanes or Euripides and sometimes Demosthenes, Cicero, Virgil or Horace. At 1 o'clock to our studies, at 5 back to our dwelling places, there to go over and verify passages cited in the lectures until 6; then supper, and after supper we read Greek or Latin.

"On holy days we went to high mass and vespers; the rest of the days, a little music and walks."

SKILL OF THE ANCIENTS.

The Old Times Apparently Did Many Things Better Than We.

"We are losing all our secrets in this shabby age," an architect said. "If we keep on, the time will come when we'll be able to do nothing well."

"Take, for instance, steel. We claim to make good steel, yet the blades the Saracens turned out hundreds of years ago would cut one of our own blades in two like butter.

"Take ink. Our modern ink fades in five or ten years to rust color, yet the ink of mediaeval manuscripts is as black and bright today as it was 700 years ago.

"Take dyes. The beautiful blues and reds and greens of antique oriental rugs have all been lost, while in Egyptian tombs we find fabrics dyed thousands of years ago that remain today brighter and purer in hue than any of our modern fabrics.

"Take my specialty, buildings. We can't build as the ancients did. The secret of their mortar and cement is lost to us. Their mortar and cement were actually harder and more durable than the stones they bound together, whereas ours—horrors!"—New York Press.

Presence of Mind.

The Duke of Wellington was writing in his library when, chancing to look up, he saw a stranger near him who had entered unheeded.

"Who are you, and what do you want?" asked the duke.

"I am Apollon and have been sent to kill you."

The nobleman realized that he had an insane person to deal with, but he was equal to the emergency. With the utmost carelessness he inquired, "Got to do it tonight?"

"No."

"I am very glad, as I am quite busy now. Just send me word before you come again, and I shall be ready for you," politely bowing the crazy person out of the room.

Shortly the fellow was safe in the bedlam whence he had managed to escape.

The Home of a Genius.

Beethoven was born in a small house in Bonn. His father had inherited the vice of drinking, and often Beethoven and his younger brother were obliged to take their intoxicated father home. He was never known to utter an unkind word about the man who made his youth so unhappy, and he never failed to resent it when a third person spoke uncharitably of his father's frailty. Young Beethoven was thus taught many a severe lesson in the hard school of adversity, but his trials were not without advantage to him. They gave to his character that iron texture which upheld him under his heaviest burdens.

FOR TREASURER.

To the Voters of Elizabeth City County.

I shall be a candidate for treasurer of the county in the general election to be held on Tuesday, November 4, and I will appreciate most cordially your support. I am not running as a candidate of any political party, clique or organization, but shall submit my claims to the people, believing that it is the voters who must decide who shall serve them in their offices of trust. Seventeen years in the office gave me a training that certainly fits me for the position, and if I am again elected to the position it will be my aim to treat all of the people as I did while in office.

JESSE S. JONES.

First White to Hang in Century.

(By Associated Press.)

NORFOLK, Va., June 13.—Leo C. Thurman, convicted here of the murder of Walter F. Dolsen, in the trunk murder case, will be the first white man to be hanged in Norfolk in 100 years. There will probably be an appeal, but the opinion is expressed that Thurman cannot escape the gallows. Thurman is stoic.

Mrs. William Mortimer and Miss Helen Mortimer have left for Oklahoma, where they will make their future home.

UNTOLD MISERY
FOR THREE YEARS

Baby Nearly Covered with Eczema—Worst Case Doctors Ever Saw—Scalp in Dreadful Condition—Tried Many Kinds of Patent Medicines but Could Get No Relief.

PERFECT, PERMANENT
CURE BY CUTICURA

"My son, who is now twenty-two years of age, when he was four months old began to have eczema on his face, spreading quite rapidly until he was nearly covered. We had all the doctors around us and some from larger places, but no one helped him a particle. The eczema was something terrible, and the doctors said it was the worst case they ever saw. At times his whole body and face were covered, all but his feet. I had to bandage his limbs and arms; his scalp was just dreadful. I used many kinds of patent medicines before trying the Cuticura Remedies, but all to no avail. A friend teased me to try Cuticura. At last I consented, when my boy was three years and four months old, having had eczema all that time and suffering untold misery. I began to use all three of the Cuticura Remedies, the Cuticura Soap helped as well as the Ointment. He was better in two months; in six months he was well, but I gave him the Cuticura Resolvent one year—using twelve bottles. I think—and always used the Cuticura Soap for bathing, and do now a good deal. He was four years old before he was well, and his skin became perfectly fair when cured. Mrs. R. L. Risley, Piermont, N. H., Oct. 24, 1905."

BARBER'S ITCH

Cured in One Month by Cuticura

"Last winter I suffered great pain and agony with barber's itch. I tried skin specialists and all kinds of remedies, but they did no good. One day I saw a Cuticura advertisement and bought a single set of Cuticura Remedies, and the results were great. In one month I was cured. M. H. Berg, 1501 Chestnut St., Phila., Pa., Jan. 30, 1906."

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Wines and Liquors

I belong to the lost tribe that strayed away from Dublin before Moses sailed on the Red Sea. I'm a price cutter. I'm a money-maker; I'm the one that sells all straight Whiskies retail at wholesale prices. The following high grade 10c Whiskies I sell for 5c a drink: Paul Jones Pure Rye, Sherwood Rye Whiskey, Carroll Springs, pure Maryland Rye Whiskey, Overholt Rye Whiskey, Parkwood Rye Whiskey. All of the above named Whiskies are strictly high grade; watch my prices if you dare, beat me if you can. Whiskey in bulk at following prices:

Old Nick Pure Rye, ½ pt., 25c; gallon \$4.00
Leonard's Favorite, ½ pt., 20c; gallon 3.00
Hunter's Baltimore Rye, ½ pt., 25c; gallon 4.00
Maryland Club, ½ pt., 25c; gallon 4.00
Paul Jones Pure Rye, ½ pt., 20c; gallon 2.75
Star A. Rye, gallon 2.00
Moss Rose, gallon 2.00
Larkwood Pure Rye, gallon 2.00
Jefferson Pure Rye, gallon 1.75
Kentucky Bourbon, gallon 1.40
Double Stamp Gln, gallon 2.00

The following brands of California Wines, Port, Sherry, California, Charet, Blackberry at 25c per qt., per gallon, 75c. Pride of North Carolina, 4 years old, gallon 2.00
Kummell, per gallon 2.00
Carroll Springs, gallon 2.50
XXXX Baker Rye, gallon 2.50

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NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

All taxes unpaid before Saturday, June 5, will be delinquent, and the property will be advertised for sale. DAVID JOHNSON, Treasurer Elizabeth City County. 6-14-07

LOST—SHOT BAG CONTAINING \$150 in cash, and two checks of M. H. Morgan & Co., between Hampton and Phoebus. Probably left on car. Liberal reward if returned to M. H. Morgan & Co., 15 South King street, Hampton. 6-14-07



Men's Patent Oxfords \$3.50
Men's Gun Oxfords \$3.50
Men's Patent Button Oxfords \$4.00
Ladies' Patent Oxfords \$2.00
Ladies' Kid Oxfords \$2.00
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FOR SALE!

A nice house with seven rooms, city water, large lot at Hampton Roads, near car line. See us for price; terms easy. Ten lots on Shell Road near La Salle avenue at a bargain. Two cottages on Stuart street, renting at \$11.00 per month.

FOR RENT!

Desirable cottage at Buckroe Beach, furnished for \$75.00 per month. Nine room house King street, completely furnished for \$75.00 per month.

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Hampton, Virginia. 18 S. King Street.

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FOR RENT—DWELLINGS.

New six-room dwelling, Landdale St., near La Salle Crossing, electric light and chert water, \$13.00.
An eight-room dwelling, House St., Pee Dee in the East End, just repaired and put in good shape, \$10.00.
Three-room cottage in Chapel St., near Armistead Ave., in good repairs, \$6.00.

STORES.

Double, brick stores in North King St., per side, \$6.00. East Queen St., No. 452, large store room, \$12.50.

FURNISHED HOUSES FOR RENT.

I have a few thoroughly furnished houses for rent in the most desirable parts of the city, prices ranging from \$30.00 to \$150.00 per month.

Two new, eight-room cottages at Buckroe Beach for rent, one furnished, the other unfurnished. All modern conveniences. Prices, \$45.00 and \$75.00 per month.

FOR SALE.

Two beautiful lots near the Boulevard. For quick cash these can be bought very cheap. Excellent location for a home.

Two good homes on the western suburb of the town of Hampton. Practically new, and excellent location. \$10.00 cash and \$10.00 per month.

A large lot, nicely located on Holt St., can be bought cheap at a quick sale.

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10-room dwelling, nicely located on King street... \$125 per month
8-room dwelling, King street... \$75 per month
8-room dwelling, Newport News Avenue... \$75 per month
11-room dwelling on Water Front... \$150 per month
12-room dwelling on Water Front, desirably situated.
5-room cottage on Water Front... \$150 per month

For Rent

Double store, Queen street... \$25 per month
Single store, Queen street... \$12.50 per month

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Near La Salle avenue... \$7 per month
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